

JULY AGENDA
BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL, GAS AND MINING
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
IN AND FOR THE STATE OF UTAH



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A PUBLIC MEETING WILL BE HELD ON WEDNESDAY, JULY 30, 2014, IN THE AUDITORIUM OF THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES, 1594 WEST NORTH TEMPLE, SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH.

THE DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING WILL CONDUCT A BRIEFING SESSION AT 8:00 AM:

1. Administrative Rules Due for 5-Year Renewal:
 - Coal R645-105: Blaster Training, Examination and Certification
 - Coal R645-106: Inspection and Enforcement: Division Authority and Procedures
 - Coal R645-400: Exemption for Coal Extraction Incidental to the Extraction of Other Minerals
 - O&G R649-10: Administrative Procedures
2. Additional Discussion on Guidance for Greater Sage-grouse
3. Other
4. Next Month's Agenda and Division Calendar
5. Opportunity for Public Comment

THE BOARD WILL HEAR THE FOLLOWING MATTERS AT 9:00 AM:

1. [Docket No. 2014-019 Cause No. 186-18](#) – In the Matter of the Request for Agency Action of SUMMIT OPERATING, LLC, for an Order establishing sectional (640-acre or substantial equivalent) drilling and spacing units for the production of gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Honaker Trail Formation underlying Sections 1, 10-15 and 22-26, Township 36 South, Range 24 East, SLM, and Sections 6, 7, 17-20 and 30, Township 36 South, Range 25 East, SLM, San Juan County, Utah.

(Continued from the June 25, 2014, Board Hearing)

2. [Docket No. 2014-024 Cause No. 270-03](#) – In the Matter of the Request for Agency Action of FINLEY RESOURCES INC. for an Order establishing Special Drilling Units for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Eocene Middle and Lower Green River and portions of the Paleocene Wasatch Transitional Formations, comprised of Lands in Township 3 South, Range 2 East, USM, and Townships 7 and 8 South, Range 20 East, SLM, Uintah County, Utah, and authorizing wells on each such Drilling Unit so established to achieve an approximate equivalent 20-acre well density

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3. [Docket No. 2014-025 Cause No. 139-120](#) – In the Matter of the Request for Agency Action of NEWFIELD PRODUCTION COMPANY for an Order modifying the Board’s Orders entered in Cause Nos. 139-8, 131-51 and 139-90 to establish special 1280-acre (or substantial equivalent) drilling units, on a pilot basis, for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from portions of the Black Shale and Castle Peak Members, also referred to as the “Bar F” Interval, of the Lower Green River Formation from long lateral horizontal wells, comprised of Sections 7 and 18, 10 and 15, and 12 and 13, respectively, of T3S, R2W, USM, Duchesne County, Utah.
4. [Docket No. 2014-026 Cause No. 270-04](#) – In the Matter of the Request for Agency Action of ULTRA RESOURCES, INC. for an Order Modifying the Board’s Order Entered in Cause No. 270-02 to Create Special Drilling Units and Authorize “Lease Line” Wells for Production from the Eocene Middle and Lower Green River Formations in Portions of Sections 32-35, T7S, R20E, SLM, and Sections 2-6 and 8-10, T8S, R20E, SLM, Uintah County, Utah.
5. [Docket No. 2014-027 Cause No. 270-05](#) – In the Matter of the Request for Agency Action of ULTRA RESOURCES, INC. for Approval of Waterflood Operations in the Eocene Middle and Lower Green River Formations in Section 16, Township 8 South, Range 20 East, SLM, Uintah County, Utah, and Certification of Said Operations as an Enhanced Recovery Project.
6. [Docket No. 2014-028 Cause No. 139-121](#) – In the Matter of the Request for Agency Action of NEWFIELD PRODUCTION COMPANY for an Order Pooling all Interests in Three Sectional Drilling Units Established by The Board’s Order Entered in Cause No. 139-90 in Section 11, Township 3 South, Range 2 West; Section 35, Township 3 South, Range 3 West; and Section 6, Township 4 South, Range 3 West; and Two 1,280-Acre (or Substantial Equivalent) Drilling Units Established by The Board’s Orders in Causes Nos. 139-113 and 139-98, in Sections 2 and 11, and Sections 4 and 9, Township 3 South, Range 2 West, Respectively, all in U.S.M., Duchesne County, Utah.

(The Board will consider the recommended findings of fact and conclusions of law generated by the hearing examiner from the July 15, 2014 hearing.)